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Invention: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING FUNCTIONS OF A MICROSCOPE SYSTEM

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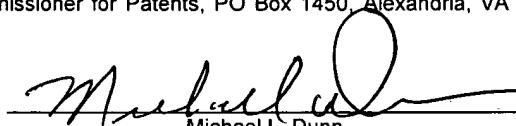
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Honorable Sir:

This is a reply to the Office Action dated January 28, 2008.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.